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September 21, 2010

Bruce Allen  
Plant Manager  
United States Gypsum  
81 North State  
Sigurd, Utah 84657

Re: Approval of Use of Waste Wallboard for Reclamation, United States Gypsum, Jumbo Jensen Mine, M/041/0008, Sevier County, Utah

Dear Mr. Allen:

On August 26, 2010 the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining received a letter from Scott Anderson of the Department of Environmental Quality's Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste concerning the approval of the use of waste wall board in the reclamation process. The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining concurs with the use of the material for reclamation purposes. The waste wallboard can be used in reclamation as needed to reduce highwalls, fill quarries and regrade slopes. This approval is for immediate reclamation. Once the site has been sufficiently regraded, it should be covered with available topsoil and reseeded. The quarries are not to be used as long term dumping sites.

If you have any question please feel free to call me at 801-538-5261 or John Rogers at 801-538-5349.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker  
Minerals Program Manager

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